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**RESPONSE TO MISSING REQUIREMENTS NOTIFICATION**

Sir:

Applicants are submitting this response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated May 8, 2007 ("Notification"). In the Notification, the Patent Office alleges missing translation of Figures 3 and 5 and missing translation of page 45. In response, missing translation of Figures 3 and 5 is provided and attached as Exhibit A. Further, missing translation of page 45 is provided and attached as Exhibit B. Accordingly Applicant believe they have been responsive to the Notification, and thus, respectfully request that the present application be examined in due course.


Additionally, on September 8, 2006, Applicants submitted the specification and drawings electronically in the United States Patent and Trademark Office. As indicated in the Notice, the specification and drawings exceeded 100 pages, however, we do not believe we are required to pay the \$250 fee. In this regard, when filing applications electronically, the Patent Office assesses the page count at 75% of the total pages of the specification and drawings. Therefore, we should only be assessed for 95 pages (e.g., 75% of 123 pages).

If the Patent Office should have further questions, Applicants kindly request that the undersigned attorney be contacted directly in an attempt to resolve any potential issues that may remain.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge deposit account 02-1818 for any fees which are due and owing.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **EXHIBIT A**